

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 231

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Ketron L. Hatton upon
being selected the Boys & Girls Club of Maury
County Youth of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly pause in their
deliberations to salute those young citizens who, through their remarkable efforts, have
distinguished themselves as emerging community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable person is Ketron L. Hatton, who was recently named
the Boys & Girls Club of Maury County Youth of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Ketron resides in Columbia and has been a member of the Boys & Girls
Club of Maury County for six years; and

WHEREAS, the Boys & Girls Club exists to serve youth and to be a safe place of
encouragement, character building, security, and love for children; and

WHEREAS, since 1947, the Youth of the Year has been the Boys & Girls Clubs of
America's premier recognition program, celebrating the extraordinary achievements of club
members; and

WHEREAS, Youth of the Year participants embody the values of leadership, service,
academic excellence, and healthy lifestyles; and

WHEREAS, Youth of the Year participants such as Ketron exemplify the critical impact
of Boys & Girls Clubs on the lives of young people; and

WHEREAS, through the Youth of the Year program, Ketron and other Youth of the Year
participants are able to showcase their talents and achievements, share their hopes and
dreams, and work toward a bright and positive future; and

WHEREAS, Ketron Hatton is a shining example that GREAT FUTURES START HERE–
at the Boys & Girls Clubs; and

WHEREAS, the success of this State, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people such as Ketron Hatton, who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others and who should be specially recognized for their public and community service; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Ketron L. Hatton upon being named the Boys &
Girls Club of Maury County Youth of the Year and extend to him our best wishes for every future
success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared
for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.